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6.—Correspondence as to the business of the RIDING HABITS, &c. (MONDAY), the 80th instant, at 3 P.M. de Soden Mineral Pastilles of Hongkong. The liability of Share-Oceanic, British atr., for Yokobama. By Order of the Board of Directors. holders to be limited to the amount . BEDFORD CORD, WHIFCORD, STOCK-Pembrokeshire, British str., for Singapore. Euchrisma... Vaseline in Ilb. tins... J. A. BAKRETTO of their shares. Bank if marked On Hongkono SAVINGS BANK Cassandra, German str., for Singapore. Warren's Essence of Lenner Business is forwarded free by the various INGNETTE, VENETIAN CLOTH Hongkong, 30th December, 1889. CAPITAL: Kong Beng, British atr., for Swetow: British Post, Offices in Hongkong and China Wilkinson's Sarsanarilla 3400,000, divided into 20,000 Shares of Monchow, British str., for Wuhn. 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY. Winslow's Soothing Syrup but the personal attendance of the Depositor or Formosa, British str., for Manile. LIMITED. bis duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass Book are necessary. the balance at call on 3 months notice being TAVING completed the publication of Frejr, Danish str., for Holhow. THE HALL & HOLTZ NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Ridge's Food for Infants. \$0.45 given. No call will be made for at least 6 . . . The Bondman, ' one of the most suc-Amoy. German str.; for Shanghai. CO-OPERATIVE Co., LD. For the HONORONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-Robinson's Patent Barley and Groats ... \$9.40 months. 5,000 Shares are reserved for the cossful Novels of the age; on Saturday, 4th Glenogie, British str., for Singapore. THE THIRD ORDINARY YEARLY ING CORPORATION. Hongkoug, 16th December, 1839. w Calvert's Carbolic Toilet Scap per box) \$0.60 Vendors and their friends, and the balance January, will be commenced in the Hougkong MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in G.E. NOBLE, Medicial per Tablet \$0.35 Household Bars 20.35 Pears Scented 1/. Oval Scap Tablets \$0.35 the above Company will be held at the Com-中医科森尼尔氏压缩剂。 ANE, CBAWFORD & Co. Chief Manager. (15,000) is offered to the public [10] pany's Office, No. 5, Stanley Street, Victoria, subscription. December 28, GENERAL WERDER, German str., Hongkong, 1st January, 1889. Hongkong, THIS DAY (MONDAY), the 80th HAVE UNPACKED A for Yokohama. A. S. WATSON & CO., LD. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK applications for shares, accompanied by day of December, 1889, at 3 o'clock P.M., for December 28, CHINA, German str., for Saigon. deposit of \$5 per share, must be sent in t Hongkong, 19th December, 1889. the purpose of presenting the Report of the CORPORATION, LIMITED. December 28, PRESTO, German str., for Hai-NEW STOCK the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Directors and Statement of Accounts to the Corporation in Hongkong, Shanghai, and Coast Ports on or before the 30th day of 30th November last. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-December 28, EUPHRATES, British steamer, for AND BURELLINE BUREAUTHE December, 1889. pany will be CLOSED from the 17th to 90th Yokohama: LONDON: ...40, THREADNERDLE STREET, CO-OPERATIVE nstant, both days inclusive. December 28. DIAMANTE, British steamer, for DIRECTORS: By Order of the Board of Directors, COMPANY LIMITED. West End Office, 25, COUMSPUR STREET. The Directors will, subject to the provisions E. W. MAITLAND, Mauila of the Articles of Association, be nominated at December 28, Ningro, Ger. str., for Whampon. BRANCHES IN INDIA, PERSIA, CHINA, JAPAN The Toman Secretary. TEW YEAR PRESENTS NEW SHAPES AND COLOUBS. the Statutory Meeting of the Shareholders to Hongkong, 30th December, 1889. December 28, FOORSANG, British steamer, for AND THE COLONIES. be held in January, 1890.
Provisional Board:— TO LECTRO PLATED WARE! Whampos THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA THE BANK receives money on Deposit Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues BAMANTAN MINING COMPANY. R. CHATTERTON WILCOX, Esc. December 28, Amox, German str., for Shanghai. OOL and RUBBER TOYS for the W. W. CLIFFORD, Esc. LIMITED. Letters of Credit, forwards Hills for Collection, December 28, ARDGAY, Brit. str., for Bangkok. and Transacts Banking and Agency Business TERAL HATS. ALFRED E. SKEELS, Esq. December 28, CHEANG HOOK KIAN, British ste., NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. generally on terms to be had on application. for Amoy. OUNG, Splendid Selection. SOLICIT RS THE FOURTH ORDINARY YEARLY Interest allowed on Deposits: December 28, CASSANDRA, German steamer, for Messrs, SHARP, JOHNSON & STOKES INDLESS ASSORTMENT. Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in Hamburg. Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. the above Company will be held at the Com-BANKERS: December 28, FORMOSA, British str., for Manila. pany's Office, No. 9, Queen's Road, THIS DAY LL kinds of Best FRENCH SWEETS Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum NEW PUGGERIES. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI December 28, Kono BERG, British str., for (MONDAY), the 80th instent, at 4 P.M.; On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent, per BANKING CORPORATION. for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Ac-DECHERCHE FANCY GOUDS for Annum on the daily balance. Bangkok. Application Forms can be obtained at the bottle made, and gives a great advantage to December 28, NIERSTEIN, Ger. str., for Saigon. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. offices of the Company's Bankers in Hongkong, the consumer. AGENCY DEPARTMENT. count to 31st March, 1889, and for the election December 28, OCHANIC, British str., for San THE HALL & HOLTZ. For the convenience of those returning to Hongkong, 28th Lecember, 1889. of Directors and Auditors. CO-OPERATIVE Co., LD. Europe, an Agency Department has been added Francisco The list will be closed in all these places TO-A. O'D. GOURDIN. to the ordinary business of the Bank, for the transaction of Personal Agency of every des-Hongkong, 25th December, 1889. AY, the 80th December, 1889. December 29, FORTEN, British str., for Tameni. Secretary. A ABINBURK FURNITURE Co., LD., Hongkong, 17th December, 1889; Hongkong, 30th December, 1889. December 29, FEETE, Danish str., for Haiphong. TV MHAMPAGNE. COLLEGE CHARBERS December 29, GLENOGLE, Brit. str., for London. have prepared for VIN BRUT, ROYAL CUVEE, Pay and Pensions collected.

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NOBLE. . C.P.CHATER, Vice Chairman Directors. and WASHSTANUS to match. injurious; it is a true stimulant to mind and Chief Manager. Per Cheang Chew, str., from Straits, &c. -147 First-class Fares granted as follows :-. A. BOLOMON, EBO. Hongkong, 30th November, 1889. body, rapids volutile, transitory, and harmless. S. MOSES, Esq. CABINETS, JARDINIERS, MANTEI This Natural Champagne is recommended as being really dry, not by means of artificial addi-Per Namoa, str., from Coast Ports .- 120 Chi-S. C. MICHAELSEN, Eaq. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE. MIRRORS. CONSOLE GLASSES, &c. &c. G. E. NOBLE, Esq. LIMITED. Per Phra Chula Chom Klao, str., from Bangtions, but because in it, the natural process of To Liverpool LEE SING, Esq. Just Received a Selected Stock of To London 330.00 POON PONG, Esq. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. fermontation has been completed. kok .- 77 Chinese. FURNITURE COVERINGS. To other European points at proportionate ates. 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Daily Press Office. 30th December, 1889.

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Hongkong, 30th December, 1880. THE NEW TALE.

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Hongkons, DECEMBER 30rs. 1889.

The Agents (Mesers. Siemssen & Co.) inform us that the D. D. R. steamer Frigan, from Hamburg, &c , left Singapore on the 26th instant for

The Agenta (Messrs, D. Sassonn, Sons & Co.) inform us that the Austro-Humarian Lloyds steamer Melpomene, from Bambay, &c., left Singapore yesterday morning for this port.

The P. & O. steamer Ancona, which recently sustained damage in a collision with the Kung pai in the Ly-ee-mun Pass, has completed her repairs at Kowloon and will probably come out of dock to-day.

Alice Memorial Hospital, requests unto acknowdonation to the funds of the Hospital. The Daily News hears that telegrams were

received in Shangnai on the 22nd December announcing that the steamer Killing has been sold at home to the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs. There is some speculation as to whether this is in any way connected with Mr. Hobson's appointment to Ichang.

was again crowded; the younger branches of the can readily believe it. But we have yet to learn and England, a bronzed warrior, rejoicing in an and to judge from the continuous laughter they and the production appeared to be as delighted with the production as their seniors were on the first night. The lates and bring back the Prince to return to his country as its described the production from the continuous laughter they and the seniors were on the first night. The total value of goods made resolved the production for fast reduces the paying margin on the former, he speaks of the defeative drainage states of the defeative drainage and to judge for fast reduces the paying margin on the first night. The life of the present in a large majority to the right has felled the houtile ranks are with from the continuous laughter they works can be made at the which class are which to judd he turn the tables and bring back the which class are which to be present light to ask the Prince to return to his country as its described in which class are which the special production for fast reduces the paying margin on the former, he speaks of the defeative drainage and production for fast reduces the paying margin on the former, he speaks of the defeative drainage and production for fast reduces the paying margin on the former. The life of the present in a large majority to the right has a paying the manufacture of Drain Pipes, the production ask the Prince to the which class are which the other class are which the other class are which the other class are the production ask the production ask the production ask the prince to the total value of production for fast reduces the production of the defeative data and production ask the pro

kau, as we learn from the account of her call at pay his officials' salaries; now the object of where all but he did yield" still glaring forth from the number and extent of enquiries received for that port given in the British North Borneo an attempted assassination by his runnobs. defiance. Herald:-"Capt. Craigie undertook while at headed by the chief Yi, who has at his back a Sandakan to demolish the Memnon Rock. This powerful secret society for the overthrow of the was successfully accomplished on the afternoons dynasty and the death of the King and Grown up and to all appearances the day was as of the 27th and 30th November by the ship's Prince; the ruler of the "Land of Morning good as won, for no one anticipated that the cry divers, with dynamite and gun cotten, and so a Calm" is certainly to be pitied. Kores, gen of the bard "confusion on thy banners wait constant source of danger to the shipping was erally speaking, seems to be in a bad way, and would find so speedy and significant a fulfilment for ever removed."

A correspondent of the Mercury says be learns from Shantung that H. E. Chang Yao has been successful in closing the small gaps in the Yellow River banks; the large gap, about a li broad, is to be worked at during the winter months: Wuting-fu is still flooded; the flooded district is from 60 to 1.0 %, but the depth of water has fallen about three feet; this is by drainage, and they hope that before next aprior all the water will be drained off. Chang Yao is relieving those who have suffered by employing them in repairing the banks of the Yellow River. and closing the breaches in the embankment.

At the meeting of the St. Mary Magdalene Chapter of Sovereign Princes, Rose Croix, held on Saturday evening, Bro. F. A. Hazeland was installed as M. W. S. for the ensking year, and the following officers were appoined :- High Prelate, Bro. D. Gillies; First General, Bro. Dr. G. P. Jordan; Second General, Bro. J. W Croker Grand Marshall, Bro. Capt. C. E. Reynolds; Raphael, Bro. R. Markwick; (aptain of the Guard, Bro. H. Lightwood; Recorder, Bro. R. Cooke. Bro. Major M. Studholm Brownrigg, 32 °, P.M.W.S., bonoared the Chapter with his attendance.

It is with much regret we record the death of another old resident in Hongkong and China. Telegraphic intelligence has been received announ- case to leave the country. oing the death, on Christman Day, of Mr. Archibald MscClymont, one of the most valued employes of the firm of Mesers. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Mr. MacClymont left Hongkong a few months ago for home in bad health, and the fears of his friends have unfortunately been only too soon realised. Mr. MacClyment was well known that it will not approve the Egyptian conversion in social festivities, being especially active in until France has signified her approval. celebrating the Caledonian anniversaries, and had a large circle of friends both here and in Shanghai, where he lived for some years.

The Foodhow Echo says :- The losses incurred by teamen during this season are computed at three million of dollars and failures of various kong replaces him at the Cape. other triders have, up to date, amounted to more than half of the above sum. The native traders in general are complaining bitterly, and declare that since the opening of the port to foreign commerce, such depression in almost all the trades of the port as prevails this year was never known; and it is feared will cause slarming resuits at the approaching settlement day. They say that the Emperor is the cause of all the trouble, for since he came to the throne trade throughout the province has been very bad.

Major Miles, R.A. (Capt.) J. Hutchison (Capt.), Major Gen. Bevan Edwards P. Egerton Capt. Davidson, 91st Regt. R. Eames Capt. Collinson, 18th Regt. F. Walter J. Moore Lieut. Blair, R.E. Laout. Young, R.A. P. Bateman-Champain Lient Woode ok, R.A. Lieut, Bramwell, 58th Regt. J. Heugh Lieut, Campbell, 81st Regt. Da S. Dobres Lieut, Kirke, 91st Regt. S. Hughes

Lieut, Irvine, 91st Regt. A N Other mon and officers of H.M.S. Imperience and of originally selected to hattle for the World; the P.W. Walter ... 97 47 7 Colonel Chater and officers of the A. & S. High, landers, their respective bands will perform, me

Erokstedt, arrived at Amoy on the 22nd December from Ningpor

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Our readers are reminded that applications for ruser capable of supplying us with 8,000 gallons Limited (late the Hall & Holts Co-operative the other would out a way clean through the batter give it up or else were'll stab you." upply, to secure which we have added a Con- shares, in the Hongkong Trading Company, distilled water a day, and are in a Company, Limited, of Hongkong) must be sent sition to compate in quality with the best into the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Coringlish Makers. Our Sweet Waters cannot be poration to-day. The Company is a sound going concern and is doing a large and increasing busi-The purest ingredients only are used, and ness of a most profitable description. The terms very adventageous, and the amount fixed for FOR COAST PORTS, Waters are packed goodwill extremely moderate, \$5 per share is Counterfoil Order Books supplied on applica- being fully sufficient until further development. of the business is deemed desirable.

> The following items are from the British North Borneo Herald of the lat Dec: Officia information has been received that H. M. shir have received orders that the British North Horneo flag is to be saluted with 21 guns future. This recognition of British North Borneo by H. M.'s Government as an independent State will strengthen the position of the Company's Government in many ways. From

for the purpose of intelling Bro. R. Cooks, the Bro. G. C. Anderson; Chaplain, Bro G. Piercy, Jr : Trees Bro. A. E. Pkeels : Sec., Bro. J. Dyer Ball; Organist, Bro. A. J. May; 3.D., Bro. G. A. Caldwell; J.D., Bro. H. W. Bro. T. C. Hutchings; L.G., Bro. J. Forbes; Tyler, Bro. J. Maxwell. After the Lodge was closed the brethren sat down to a cold collation. tossis were duly benoured.

after repeated interviews with the Vicerov ion that Chang's great railway project is imprac- hands of Bramwell, who, catching him off in the details of the plan for carrying it out are pending, one of which involves the employment of foreign capital and material, which would put veterans and recruits, who filled up the falling a very different complexion on the matter. Sheng ranks, stood their ground for a few blows, but has not yet given a definite answer and has re- eventually had to retire before the onslaughts turned to his old post for the present, pending of the crafty captain. When darkness came information from Peking. There are also other matters in Chefoo which must be cleared Mr. E. W. Maitland, Hon, Treasurer of the up before he can well hand over that office and for the night, the Scots having more than main re-elected as directors amongst these is the late lamented death of Mr. tained their own. ledge the receipt of a sum of \$500 which he has Colin Jamieson, which mystery has greatly exerreceived from the Pork Guild of the Colony as a cised the Taotai of Chefoo, who has reason to be enzious on that score. We expect yet to hear more about that sad event, which the verdict of the coroner's jury did nothing to elucidate.

Writing on the state of affairs in Korea, the Mercury says: The us fortunate Monarch of the himself if he could transfer his crown, with all its responsibilities, to Prince Ming Yong Yik. pleasant one. Browbeaten in his own capital by H.M.S. Hyacinth, now in Singapore, proved the bullying representative of China; pressed herself a welcome and a useful visitor at Sanda. for money to carry on his Government and at the end he "stood upon the gory field, assumes is a vassal, is eminoutly calculated to B. fore the left and right hand attacks to which increase its internal troubles, and offer it as a they were exposed, the braw Scots went call of \$5 was made in April, yielding \$20,000, which

prey to Russia. We are sorry to say that the down like a cornfield before the sickle. olioy of Great Britain, with respect to Kores, in supporting the unjust pretensions of China to suserminty, also tend in the same direction. recent treaty for the regulation of trade and commerce between Kor a and her northern neighbour might very well be made the pretext of interference by Russia in any such domestic us after the latest news from the "distressful country" of the Far East.

RECTERS TELLEGRAMS.

BUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." London, 26th December. PORTUGAL AND ENGLAND. The Portuguese reply to Lord Salisbury's note

has been favourably received. THE CLEVELAND STREET SCANDAL. A solicitor has been charged at Bow Street with inducing witnesses in the Cleveland Street

PROM SINGAPORE PAPERS. AREO, I'th December. RUSSIA, FRANCE, AND EGYPT. The Russian Government has given notice

LONDON, 18th December. NEW GOVERNOR OF MALTA. General Smyth having been appointed Governer of Malta, General Cameron from Hong-THE HEALTH OF EMIN PASHA. Emim Pasha is pronounced out of danger.

CRICKET.

SCOTLAND & THE WO LD. The match Scotia contra omnes terros played on Hoxing Day and Friday and Faturday last arose out of a desire expressed by men of the A cricket match, Army v. Navy, will be played plucky kingdom that is always so much in evidto-day (Monday) and to-morrow (Tuesday), com- ence in the East to try conclusions with Engmenoing at 11 a.m. to-day. The teams are as land and the sister isle, who, if not in politics, at least on the cricket field, are one. The detachment from London, was well met by the allied descendants of Brian Boroimhe and Caradoc who, after baving the worst of the struggle at first, railied towards the Snich and with a mighty effort rolled back the invading hordes. Various changes in one case cons. S. Smith 50 12 6 2 1 4 By kind permission of Admiral Sir Nowell-Bal- pionously for the better were made in the force Lt. Hutchison, 85 23 1

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six, five, or four victims, so deft'y and furlously they could examine them for themselves if they were his strokes delivered. But when one did not believe her. Two of them went with of these two retired after a brave light, deceased into her room, leaving one stationed in the passage. They closed the door after they got the veteran Commander-in-chief, in whom into the room. From what Isleard I knew that they "lived the wonted fires," joined his slashing searched the room again without finding anyand the full amount allowed for Packages and it is not contemplated to call up any more of lieutenant, and after cantions fencing, made a thing. After this the light of deceased's room the capital for a year or two, half of the capital lungs which discomfited the Gasts but brought the descriptions and which discomfited the Gasts but brought the descriptions and which discomfited the Gasts but brought the descriptions and the descriptions are the descriptions and the descriptions and the descriptions are with prolonged roses. He soon lost his comrade, to whom succeeded men of less stamina, who turned their backs and fiel after a few passes, maying their defence. Campbell and Blair pain and saying the was lit and I then saw deceased sit.

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A considerable amount of earth disturbance to the difficult matter to obtain anything like a unisteadily and vigorously repelled all attacks and and the other servant then put the deceased a like nature to those experienced in the Brick make coessionally took the fight into the enemy's to use and sent for a questor, and reported ing. In wever, sizer to enter the placed to use and sent for the matter at the Police. Station. The say that with the improvements carried out in the count for the recent high death-rate from fever processionally took the fight into the enemy's the matter at the Police. Station. The Pipe Machinery, and the increased steam pressure count for the recent high death-rate from fever broken the sent that the place of the two men was when they went given by the New Boiler, this oldier of goods can now be the count for the recent high death-rate from fever broken the sent the place of the two men was when they went given by the New Boiler, this oldier of goods can now be the count for the recent high death-rate from fever broken the sent the place of the two men was when they went given by the New Boiler, this oldier of goods can now be the count for the recent high death-rate from fever broken the place of the two men was when they went given by the new Boiler, this oldier of goods can now be the place of the two men was when they went given by the new Boiler in the place of the two men was when they went given by the new Boiler in the place of the two men was when they went given by the new Boiler in the place of the two men was when they went given by the new Boiler in the place of the two men was when they went given by the new Boiler in the place of the two men was when they went given by the new Boiler in the place of the place of the two men was when they went given by the new Boiler in the place of the two men was when they went given by the new Boiler in the place of the two men was when the place of the two men was when the place of the place of the two men was when they went given by the place of the two men was when the place of must we can gamer, must on the entered part of the description will show that, to may the least of it, such not cut all their tobacco; the plantings were too broken through, but the chance was not accept into the room with deceased. I did not see the be made with greater cortainty, and of a quality gation will show that, to may the least of it, such in we are the special to the least of the le the crop of 1888 are looked upon with satis. bim into the thick of the fight, and terrible attention was drawn to the deceased, who was faction, and there is greater confidence than have did this lion-hearted youth work. When calling out in pain. I did not dare to go down ever in the success of the Tobacco enterprise in once he had found the length of his opponents' attains to make a report for some time, because I of these articles have been fully maintained, and once he had found the length of his opponents' attains to make a report for some time, because I of these articles have been fully maintained, and once he had found the length of his opponents' attains to make a report for some time, because I of these articles have been fully maintained, and once he had found the length of his opponents' attains to make a report for some time, because I of these articles have been fully maintained, and once he had found the length of his opponents' attains to make a report for some time, because I of these articles have been fully maintained, and once he had found the length of his opponents' attains to make a report for some time, because I of these articles have been fully maintained, and once he had found the length of his opponents' attains to make a report for some time, because I of these articles have been fully maintained, and once he had found the length of his opponents' attains a first time in the manufacture. The annual installation meeting of Zetland directed out, Blair was cleverly disarmed and a Lodge, No. 525, was held on Friday night, when few moments later his comrade shared a similar Right Wor. Bro. C. P. Chater, District Grand fate. One of the twain who go by the name of

Master, with the Grand Lodge officers, attended the Gemini, found himself suddenly taken opened the door. After the men had broken the Lump Coal. Worshipful Master for the ensuing year. Wor. in the rear and surrendered at discretion, whilst Bro. Cooke afterwards invested his officers as the crack Guardsman soon finding bimself in They went into all the rooms except the amah's Brick Kiln. Fines, &c., were built, being put into of this mineral soil does not do so, but it is certainly some the description of this mineral soil does not do so, but it is certainly some the description of this mineral soil does not do so, but it is certainly some the description of this mineral soil does not do so, but it is certainly some the description of this mineral soil does not do so, but it is certainly some the description of this mineral soil does not do so, but it is certainly some the description of this mineral soil does not do so, but it is certainly some the description of this mineral soil does not do so, but it is certainly some that it is certainly some t up his sabre. These slight successes were rais. ceased's room, the amab's from, and the sitting- satisfaction. Another Kiln of similar construction ing hopes in the breasts of the partisans of the southern ranks. The unprowned king of Forfar Sampson; D.C., Bro. A. Me intook; Steward, and the other of the Gemini quickly dispelled were all disturbed, and disturbed, and disturbed, and disturbed, and disturbed. such hopes and excited those of the Scots. Right well did these two uphold the glory of Scotia's when the health of the newly installed Master name. With stentorian shouts and heroulesn was drunk and the other loyal and Masonio blows he that claimed to be of kingly descentand well did he justify the claim-carried dismay into the ranks of the hated Southron: aye, by believe (says the Mercury) that he is not likely to one gigantic thrust, he brought temporary conaccept the post offered to him in the Hu pro- fusion upon his foes. But Walter Le Jeune vinces. The reason of this unwillingness is that still kept the dashing swordsman on his mettle. and after a parry and a clever feint induced his take part in any scheme likely to fail, is of opinticable as presented by the late. Vicercy of the guard, administered a triumphent coup de grace Two Kwang. But as certain important changes Part of the London contingent having already

Next day, being the Friday in Xmas week, the opposing hosts went forth fresh to the renewed encounter and with stern resolve to do or die in the attempt to gain the day. Several of the World's champions bit the dust early; again the Veteran General did-good service maintain. Hermit Kingdom is certainly to be pitied and ing a very stubborn defence: he saw the heroes it would be an undoubted relief and banefit to of the former day's fray drop one by one, some being put out of the fight by marvellous feats The Amsteurs gave an afternoon performance as our Chemulpo correspondent, in his letter of on the part of the Highlanders. When the tide of the Pantomime on Saturday. The Theatre the Sin inst. said be was desirous of doing. We seemed to have irrevocably set in against Erin pro action o Bricks of all kinds is nearly 500,000 and. stratagem was tried, but to no purpose,

down upon the scene of conflict, hostilities osseed

The Scots had not much ground to make versi of their champions made bold efforts to not for the damage and loss occasioned by the clear their lines, but the dispositions of the and we believe the possession of the peninsu's opposing general and the close fighting of the by Russia is only a mere matter of time. The rank and file rendered all those efforts futile. The London Scottish were again well in the van and bore the brunt of the onset : only by the most accurate defence and an occasional sally crisis as that through which Korea is now pas- | did this contingent cover an honourable retreat sing, and no coup in that quarter would surprise | A spirited raily towards the end caused the light of bope to glow, but it was only the floker precedent to extinction. After the conflict. treaty of peace was signed, one clause of which stipulated that no farther attempts should be made by the Scots to wrest the cricket supremacy from England and Ireland, in return for which the Scots would be allowed to continue golfing

in Happy Valley unchallenged. The following are the scores:-THE WORLD.

G. S. Cozon, c Stewart, b Lowson 6 S Campbell, & E. W.

Jent. Hutchmon, R.N., c Comp

BROOMD IMMINGS.

R Rair es, R.N., b Lowson 39 e Blair, b Campbell ...
R. J. Come, o Davidson, b Lowson 63 l bw, b Lowson......... Maj. General Edwards, not out ... 10 W. Cozon, h Lowson A. Bramwell, 5-th, o Stenart, Campbell 1 to Ca BOWLING ANALYSIS. Balls: Runs. Mds. Whts. Wides. N.B. Davidson" Second / E. W. Maitland 56 84 RECORD INVINCE. Il a und b Walter P. Mailand, st. G. S. Coxen, b E. Cupt. Davidson, Blet. r G. S. Co- r G. S. Cozon, b Z. J.

Ron, b Walter

Dr. J. A. Lowson, c Branwell, b R. H. Gure-Bnoth, b E. J. Coxon 1 not out Haitland Laugall, R.N., c G. S .torder raid attempted by the men from north Liest. Mirk, wat, not out to Walter the Tweed, who were reinforced by a strong B. W. Maitlend, e Bmith, b. E. J.

Balls, Runs, Mds. Wkts, Wides, N.B.

ME ANDREW JOHNSTON'S ENFORCE THE MURDER IN TUN WO LANE. The Chairman and Directors of The Hongkong Brick and Cament Company, Limited, Hongkong. MAGISTERIAL INQUIET. GRHTLEMEN .- I beg to hand you my yearly report An inquiry into the circumstances connected The new machinery shed, embraced in my plan for the re-arrangement of the works, was finished shout

vigilance of the roe, sending the opposing regions sushed up to the third flore and broke the coresring all over the field of strife. The one door leading into the passage. They went into from right to left with his broadsword, whilst I heard them say," Give as the money. You had opposing ranks or drive tham straight before peated their demand and the threat. Deceased him in his onslaughts, which numbered at times said she would open the things for them and joy into his own camp, which hailed the feat death." After this the two man last the method of dealing with the clay gave an worthy of note that there is a difference of 25 6 room. I did not see the men leave the room. Increased production, better bricks, and a reduction The first thing I aw was becased running out in the cost of making of shout 30 per cent on the of the room and at that time the mon had left. Deceased called for matches to light the lamp : a

When the man rushed into the house I ran into expert in the making, which will tend to reduce the the kitchen. The door I opened was a door about half-way down the staircase between the second and ments were used to u e Duet Coal, but its use did disturbance of an almost spurely mineral soil can and that no further, trespassing on I rown land third floors. I had a lamp in my hand when I not give such good results as were obtained from liberate either organised or unorganised matter ting room. Each of the men carried a sword. like the one now shown to me. The bed-clothes

THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPAMY. LIMITED.

The inquiry was then adjourned for a week.

enturday last. Hon. C. P. Chater presided, and successful working and the results have proved place since the report was written. Under the there were also present :- Mesars W. Wotton, D. Gillies, E. L. Woodin, James Anderson, (directors;) A. G. Stokes, G. L. Tomlin, F. George, J. Kew, Lieut. Taytor, A. Johnston (Manager), and W. H. Walker, (Secretary). On the motion of the CHAIRMAN, seconded succumbed to the doughty left-hander, the by Mr. A. G. STOKES, the report and accounts

Mr. STOKES moved that the appointment Mr. Anderson as director be confirmed. Mr. WOTTON seconded and the motion was

On the motion of Mr. Grong, seconded by Mr. Tomlin. Mesers. Chatter and Gillies wer Mr. GILLIES proposed the re-election of the the substantial progress that has been made during agditors, Mesers, Potts and Harma (1) Mr. STOKES seconded, and the motion

This concluded the business of the meeting. The following are the report and accounts:-The Director beg to present their report on the ment of Accounts for the year e de l'Oct ber list hast. For the information of the Shareholders, Directors have also added the yearly report of the states the difficulties which have been encountered in the works at Despwater Bay and the progress made. have reached \$5,617.65. The Bricks used on the

fully dealt with. The conclusions arrived at it respect to this part of the Con pany's business point very plainly to a ingrative and profitable future, and expectations will be realized. The results of the experments last half-year were astisfactorily confirmed on a more extensive scale in

Aprilmet, when the Directors after avisit to the works secided to further increase that part of the plant which had been proved most satisfactory, by the adlition of new machinery, an increase of the covered in spaces; and, with a view to fully maintain the efficiency of the works, an Assistant Foreman was engaged. To meet the overdraft with the Bank another at the time was considered amply sufficient for the Company's business, and would have been were shorm in May last. The direct loss sustand by the storm in destruction of materials, building machinery, do. . mounted to \$1.871.17, as shewn in the accounts, but this does not represent the indirect losses occasioned by the stoppage of works, sickness of workmen, and the disadvantages of an unusually wet sees b. For the purpose of placing the Company in funde, the Directors have arranged for a temperary overdraft with the Bank; and it will be necessary to make a further call of a nominal amount to place the Company on a satisfactory basis. On the departure of Mr. J. B. Coughtrie from the Colony through ill health, the Directors appointed

bir. W. H. Walker to not as Sepretary. Mr. James Anderson has been invited to a seat the Board and his appointment requires confirmation. The retiring Directors, The Honourable C. P. (hater and Mr. David Gillies, retire by rotation and To balance are eligible for re-election.

Mesers. G. H. Potts and H. Harms have audited the accounts now presented and offer themselves for C. P. CHATEE, Chairman. Bank Buildings, Queen's Boad,

Hongkong, 28th December, 1889. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT FOR THE TEAR ENDER THE SIST OCTOBER, 1:89. Machinery and plant Buildings and wherf Accounts to collect LIABILITIES. Less calls un-paid......

Due Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, for Accounts payable o salaries and wages To interest To profit and loss:

To balance to end of last year.

To cost of repairing damages done by the storm in May last. By transfer 1005 By bricks taken over by the Company By stockscoount—Bricks, pipes, &c., unsold

By profit and loss ... wowen

THE HIGH DEATH RATE AT

carried out on a larger scale than was permissible

that their combined production only reaches half live, which occurred in Notember, were of a the former amount, and, further the Machines meteorological nature, and it seems evident that would not work together, with clay of the same con- the increase of mortality was in a great measure sistency. The cost of stores and attendance was also owing to meteorological influences. This view avorage expenditure in England. The principal receives support from the advanced age at contributing causes that led to these results were which a very considerable proportion of the found in the poculier nature of the clay, which deaths occurred. On the other hand the fact necessitated a more thorough working than these that there were no infantile deaths would appear Machines were designed for, and, secondly, the strong evidence against this view, but the clay was so moist as to put the Machines under marvellous manner in which the Chinese clothe bricks would then have to be done artificially, which, at the present high rates for fuel was found to be

The improvements carried out in the manufacture

down and on their site a New and Improved Circular | would be very rash to say that the disturbince room. On going into the deceased's room after was commenced in April, and both are now in full the men left I found a knife on the bed. It was nee, realising all the expectations formed of them. Chimney constructed for increasing their efficiency, which has given good results so far. NEW MACRINERY, &c.

On the occasion of your visit to the works in April fast the working of the plant was carefully gone into together with the improvements following the a top. tion of the Grinding Process for the P pe and Fire Brick making, also the success that had followed on the use of the New Circular Kilp. From the above it was then decided to order a New and Larger Grinding Mill, New Circular Kiln, Flues, &c., Add tions to covered in space, and such other mat ers as The first half of the year the works had been uar-

taken sick with fever, and died after a few days' illompany, as Mr. McCall was a most steady, painstaking, greatest interest in the success of the works, seen in

his short stay. The assistant foreman, Mr. W. D. Reid, arrived out is July a few days prior to Mr. McCall's death, their industry and fragality, are extremely poor and though possessed of good abilities, he laoks the and consequently indifferently fed, ill-clad, and experience and knowledge of the clays which the late badly housed. They are all very dirty in their

say that during the first half a ready sale was found dwellings. I bein dirty hubits, no d ubt: for sold have resized a good profit over cost of production, and the sales have been about equally divided with building and fire bricks. the business that can be done will leave a fair profit. poses of his report Mr. McCallum divides the

The enquiries to hand from both local, coast ports, chinery now at work, together with reliable

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

growded out of Saturday's issue by pressure of other matter :-

IST OCTOBER, 1888, TO BIST MARCE, 1889. To machinery and plant, construction, buildings at Purjom and Samantan To steem-inunch Maude To steel lighter Co stamp mill plant To instruments and tools at Punjons and To farniture at office o furniture at Mines and Sanghie Drs ... provisions and stores..... Fo James Morrison & Co. To Syme & Co., agents, cash on hand To Hongkong Bank, current account To Bandry debtors .h To opium at mines

Bullion sold 2,051.90 399,B35.00 y enspense account Balance due at mines Call to be refunded By specie at mines By accounts payable WORKING ACCOUNT.

Interest secrued \$ 389.56

To accounts receivable,-

To belance from last account To salaries at mines and at head office, rent, telegrams, stationery, expenses at head office, Punjom and Sunghie Dua.... To disbursements Tin Concession To labour secount To transport of machinery, stores, & coolies To saw mill working account . To stamp mill working account To roads, bridges, fences, prospecting, min. ing explorations and exploitations To botel, bospital, and travelling expenses. To water supply To police account To charges, assay, survey, and general ox-To Royalty Sultan of Pahang and Maude, and Pokan agency To trammy account To milling

5,807.09 To compensation 1,489.77 To auditors' feet 21,335.41 By earnings Sri Pahang By carnings Maude ... Balance 176,042,79 be expected." By interest A. O'D. GOUBDIN, Secretary. Hougkong, 26th December, 1889.

Konroom

of the working of the Company's establishment at on Friday afternion a report by Mr. McCallum Deepwater Bay for the year ended Outober 81st, 1880. the Sanifary Superintendent, on the high deat. rate at Kowloon was presented. The report was in continuation of a previous one, in which with all the machinery were brought inside and the number of deaths in the district this year fixed on their new foundations, the whole being and previous yours was set out. Mr. McCallum complete and in full work about February last, Under attaches a report on the canitation of the district "It will be observed that however much

bricks per day, but it has been clearly demonstrated ditions under which the people in this district

"I attach a small table, kindly given to me by Dr. Doberok, showing the range of the thermometer, barometer, and the rainfall during the months of October and November in 1887 1888, and 1889. This table above to very mark readings of the thermometer in November this year. It is pretty generally admitted that The nature of the clays have in this branch render. rapid change from hot weather to cold weather,

has been going on near Yaumati since the clamorous positive assertion and the not infraquent occurrence of cases of fever in the vicinity of more or less extensive earth disturbance there with a view to economise the cost of fuel, arrange appears no sound reason for supposing that the capable of anting as a malarial poison. In the Last year the old Stone Built Kilns were taken present state of our knowledge of the subject it point of view it is a very important point to decide and clear evidence should be obtained before a decision is arrived at, if such decision is to be followed by any legislative action."

Mr. Mc allum recommends that in order to secure proper sanitary supervision an Inspector should be appointed to devote his whole time to the Kowloon district.

In the 1886 report Mr. McCallum commences by giving a general description of the district. and goes on to treat the subject under various treads indicating by marginal notes the modithe altered circums ances rendered necessary. In fications of the report that are required by the A meeting of the above Company was held on October last the whole of the new additions were in changes in the conditions which have taken them the most economical part of the Company's heading of "Statistical" returns are given of the death-rate and birth-rate from 1880 to 1885. ried on under very great disadvantages, it being's from which it appears the former had varied most unusually wet season, and, further, the storms of from 16.5 to 27.4 per thousand and the birth-May last very seriously demaged the Kilns, Machin- rate from 3 to 3.7. Until 1885 burials took ery, Buildings, and destroyed a quantity of coals place all over the hills and there can be little and stores with mostly all of the manufactured goods. doubt that many deaths, were never registered mouth before all the damage and loss was made . As the great majority of the dwellings are good. In July last, when the works were once more | occopied by married couples and as large numin good order and every prospect of being carried on bers of children are to be seen in all the successfully, the Foreman, Mr. George McCall, was villages it is evident that only a small propor-

tion of the births have been registered, Under the heading "Condition of the people, and persevering servant, shewing at all times the Mr. McCallum says the small shopkespers, dook employes, boat builders, fish-curers, &c., are, for their class and nationality, fairly well-to-do, but a large number of the people, notwithstanding habits, both as regards their persons and their for the goods made, but in the last four or five months the most part, arise from ignorance, but the the demand has not been so great. All the goods terrible struggle many, of them have to earn a bore existence has also a good deal to do with them. Very little is really known regarding the health of the people or the and elsewhere are of a very assuring character, and i diseases from which they suffer. For the pur-I am still of the opicion that with the experience villages into two classes -(A) those which are gained and the proved efficiency of the plant and ma- situated on leasehold land, to which Yaumati, . ung-ham, and Tsim-tsa-tsui belong, and (B) those of the houses. The vast majority of the villagers | the signature of "Shareholder" for the trouble polluted. None of the B class of villages have prospects are not so discouraging as was lings are unfit for human habitation. Swins ago. The points raised by "Sharehold r" are

are generally housed under the same roof as the deserving of every attention and appear to be The following statement of accounts was family. In a number of cases it would be diffi- substantiated by truthful and telling statements. cult to say whether the hut in which both, people : Hitherto I have looked upon the Punjom Co. as and pigs are housed should be viewed as a dwel- a mining enterprise and not as a Lund Comling or a pig-sty. In the great majority of the pany. In the latter capacity the prospects of the bouses there are no windows, and when the door | Company may safely be considered as most en-150,000.00 is closed sunlight is excluded and free ventile couraging. It is a pity "Shareholder" omitted tion stopped. The water-supply is obtained to mention the amount the vendors received. 38.113.05 from shallow wells, and drinking water taken and the area of the property of the 38 Goldfrom such a source is always dangerous. their causes," Mr. McCallum.says:-" The chief looked over the file of the Economist, and

a class of villages are :-"2-The incomplete system of sewerage. "3-The radically bad house drainage. "4-The damp condition of the foundations

of the dwellings. "5-The deficient and impure water supply. "6-The lar enforcement of the sanitary

want of funds.

1,306.87 constituted of things is undoubtedly due to the pernicious system of equatting, The learned Sir Emerson Tennent produces 159.61 both with and without licences. A squatter another very important argument in favour of 207.07 with a licence is liable to be turned out of this assertion. The generic term for a gold \$41.41 the land he holds under his licence at a month's mine in the Malay language, is Ophir. He 180.00 notice and a squatter without a licence can be therefore thinks it corious that the very terms turned out at any time. No one will erect by which certain articles of commerce referred \$180,893.93 dwellings under such an undertain tenure, to in the history of King So.omon are desig, at-Dwellings may fairly be said to be the starting ed in the lebrew invoice (so to speak) should point in public sanitation and when these are be identical with their Malayau and Tamil 122.87 valueless, properly formed streets, good or even nomenclatures at the present day. The turms any systems of sewerage, house drainage, water were so entirely foreign and alien from 1,494.08 supply, general surface scavenging, etc., caunot the common Hebrew language. I hope Under the heading of "Remedial Measures," writer. Even the Greek geographers were

to be done is the strict carrying out of the re- ed the place the Golden Cher-onese On a commendation contained in paragraph 188 of visit to the Malayan States by that entirent Mr. Chedwick's report on the Sanitary Condi- geologist the Rev. Father Woods, the world tion of Hongkong, vis:

according to the existing level of the groun there will be considerable difficulty in draining

Although whole streets of new houses have. lately been constructed in these villages, for some reason or other the foregoing recommendation has only been partly acted upon, and where it has been neglected the result has been very far from satisfactory. In addition to Mr. Chadwick's recommendation, it is very desirable that a law should be promulgated and rigidly enforced prohibiting the occupation of any new or newly reconstructed dwelling until it has been inspected by a Government Officer and a certificate given withim that it is fit for human habitation. The streets and lanes now existing should be formed and the system of sewerage extended so that allhouses can connect their drains with tham. The extension of the sewers should be carried out on the principles laid down in Mr Chadwick's report, more especially as regards paragraphs

" he house drains in most of the houses in these villages are so defective that complete reconstruction on approved principles in the only remedy. I see no hardship in compelling the owners of property to do this necessary work. For years they have received handsome returns for money invested in erecting these dwellings, often at the expense of the health of their tonants. Drains like other portions of a dwelling require periodical renewing, the length of which period depends on the care and materials with which they are constructed. Section 9, of Ordinance 8 of 1856 would a pear to give the necessary power to compel the landlords to provide proper house drains. If this is not the case the only thing to be done is the promulgation of a law empowering some officer to insist on the work being done. Unless the Governmentare prepared to compel the construct. ion of proper house drains the houses in these villages will never be wholesome dwellings. The providing of a pure and plentiful public water supply is a mutter of urgent necessity. The hist and chapest method of doing so is a question requiring very careful consideration. Without being acquainted with the intention of the Government with regard to the various rillages it is impossible to form a sound judgment as to their probable

McCallum recommends that the present squatters should be given a lesse of the grannd on which their houses stand on condition that a proper dwelling is erected within a specified time,

A considerable section of the report is devoted to the question of the floating population; a marginal note, however, states that the aggregation of boats used as dwellings on or near the foreshore is not now allowed."

As to the personal insanitary habits of the people the only remedy, Mr. McCallum says, is to teach sanitary principles. To do this will be an extremely difficult and long task, but he does not think it altogether hop less and refers to the success achieved in this direction in Ludia. The printing in Chinese of a small similary primer in the simplest possible language, dealing with the most elementary senitary principles, is recommended, the primer to be distributed broadcast and to be explained in the elementary

The report proceeds:-The urgent necessity of the Government providing a medical service for the native community not only for the Kowloon Peninsola but for the whole Colony is quite clear, but it is very difficult to see how this is to done. The only possible ways would appear to be !-

"1-A staff of fully qua ified English medical "2-A staff of qualified Indian medical "3-A staff of Chinese medical practitioners

more or less trained in European medicine. The objections to the first on the ground of xpense, and to the second on account of the probable want of confidence in them on the part of the Chinese, are pointed out. Mr. McCallum recommends therefore, that a stuff of Chinese who have received a training in the Cauton Missionary Hospital should be engaged. He admits that their knowledge is limited, but says it is infinitely better than no knowledge whatever, and they might be made use of until bettermaterial is available. The only alternative is to grope along as at present without any real knowledge of the state of the health of the people we powers and without learning what off act our costly smitary improvements have on their

CORRESPONDENCE.

of not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our Correspondents.

THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS."

SIR. -I feel grateful to the writer of the letter published in your paper of the 24th instant under procure their water from shallow wells, and there he has taken in endeavouring to prove that the can be no question but in most cases the water is Punjom Company's present position and future any system of sewerage, and many of the dwel- generally sutertained by the public a few days Mining Companies recently finated at home. Under the heading of "Sanitary defects and Since reading "Chareholder's" letter I have, sanitary defects in the public sanitation of the find to my amazement that the vendors received on an average £7,000 for each square "I-The unformed state of many (some) of mile. Taken at say £5,000 the unsold 180 miles of the Punjom company would fetch about £900,000, or in Mexicans five millions. This sam appears very large although the amount is estimated at only half of what has. actually been given to vendors of Gold Mining lands. The Australians paid for Ranh some £15,000 per mile and the average amount reorived by the vendors of the several Gold and Tin "7-The want of any system of medical relief. Mining Concessions floated in London in connec-"The exact cause of defects 1,2, and 5 is not | tion with the Malayan States is actually 20 per known, but in all probability it is owing to the cent. over the rate I have taken for the Punic Jom Company. The next point is, will the lands "The chief cause of defects Nos. 8 and 4 is be sold? "Shareholder" has referred us to the faulty condition of the law in regard to the could Airica. Why go so far? About a dozen erection of buildings intended for dwellings, companies have already been floated in London for the Malayan States, and the idea of sel-"It is difficult to say what is the real cause of ling, the Punjom Company's property occurred defect No. 6, but conflict between the depart only a few months ago. At a time when other ments responsible for the administration of more important matters were engressing public the various sanitary laws has probably most attention—the French election, the great fair to do with it. So far as the executive at Paris, Revolution in Brazil, where British officers of the Board are concerned the rea- capital is very largely interested, unsteady affairs son why the laws which they have to enforce in South Europe and Africa, the silver queshave not been carried out with more vigour is tion, and last but not least, the promotion of because it is quite impossible for the people to certain bogus Companies, which were speedily comply with them. The law contemplates the suppressed by the London Stock Exchange—each 148,689.33 ex stence of habitable dwellings, good streets. and every one of these prevented the Punjom sewers, honse-drains, water-supply, systems of Company's property being sold in London up to 12,911.09 conservancy, and scavenging. When most of this moment. We may hear something so soon 2,704.36 these sanitary conveniences do not exist and as financiers and ornamental directors return 1,059.49 when the people are not to blame for their non- to the metropolis after the New Year festivities. 426.05 existence it is manifest that the prosecution of . The Australians and their doings at Raub the people for nuisances arising through the were entirely ignored by me, but "Shareholder's 442.49 want of such conveniences would be an act of remarks compel me to look more closely in that gross injustice. In both classes of villages the direction. 'I he fact that they knowingly paid. defects in private sanitation are the dirty habits over £15,000 per square mile is in itself a telling of the people. The cause ere ignorance and argument in favour of the Punion Company's

"In the B. class of villages public sanitation | I must admit I invested in the Punjom Co. on 210.12 cannot be said to exist and everything con- a speculation theory formed long before I came nected with this public service is in a most de- out to the Far East. The theory is that Ophir. \$190,895.89 the report says :- "The first thing requiring convinced of this fact, for they designat-The again informed that gold on ted in the Before offering new building lots for sale, Pahang country. With improved ideas and To THE DEAL A person oured of deafness it is most desirable that the roads should be laid powerful machinery the buried treasure in the and moises in the head of 25 years' standing out and graded, and the drains constructed. By Ophir of King Solomon will again be an importby a simple remady, will send a description of it this much troub a will be caved. For instance, and factor amongst the mineral producing conu-Ber por square, southing to Nichol on Cl. on the east of the love to the territory of the land of the

in our favour; anyhow through Raub the Punjom | Mr. Braham's Uplands (Mr. Moorhead) Company's property will receive a material ad Dis Gardener's Blits (Mr. Drummond) vantage. I agree with "Shareholder" that we Mr Boco's Buster (Mr. Hutchings) had b for wait a little longer and watch the efforts of Mr Becher in London .- Yours faith. lengths in front of Blits; the same distance . MAG. Houghong, 27th December, 1889. FOOCHOW WINTER RACES. The weather was favourable and the attendrnee large. The griffins were the best seen in Foodhow for some years; out of 15 no less than Ware winners. FIRST DAY, 20th December. The STEWARDS CUR, (presented): valu. 875; entra ca \$5; for all China ponies; weights as per scale. Half a mile. Mr. Falk's Witchcraft (Mr. Hutchings) Mr. Braham's Vendetta (' r. Coutts) Mr. Camera's Almansor (Mr. Oswald) Witcheraft took the lead at the start, and won hands down. Time, 65sec. The MAIDEN STAKES; forced of \$10 each; \$125 td the first pony, \$25 to the second; for Subscription Griffins; weights as per scale. Three quarters of a mile. Mr. Boco's Yarrum (Mr. Hutchings) Mr. Moray's Leo ... (Mr. Moorhead)

Dr. Gardener's Fritz ... (Mr. Drummond). 3 Yarrum was the favourite, and won by a length and a half, good third. Time, Imin. 37; sec. The : HAASZE CUP; value \$700; second pony to receive \$25; entrance \$5; for Subscription Griffins; weights as per scale. One mile and

Dr. Gardner's Blitz (Mr. Drummond) Mr. Griffins' Wayfoong (Mr. Coutts) Mr. Braham's Uplands (Mr. Greaves) 3 Blitz took the lead at the start, and kept it to the finish, winning by about 70 yards bard beld. Time, Smine. Slace. The STAND STAKES; of \$5 each, with \$50 add: od, divided 70, 20 and 10 per cent to the first, second and third ponies; for subscription grifline of this or previous meetings; weights as

per scale; winner of this year's aiden Stakes Mr. Morny's 1:00(Mr. Moorhes !) Dr. Gardener's Blitz(Mr. Drummond) Mr. Amoyas Gamecook(Mr. Heath) · 3 Blitz took the lead at the start, but was passed by Leo, who won by t of a tength; rest nowhere. Time, Imin. 55sec. The Hongkong Cur; (presented); value \$200; Canadian papers, brought by the C. P. steamer entrance S10; for all Chima ponies; weights | Batavia :as per soule; winners ?lbs. extra. One mile

and-n-balf. Mr. Braham's Vendetts (Mr. Moorhead) Boco's Buster (Mr. Hutchings) Mr. Camera's Blackberry (Mr. Oswald) A well idden ruce, but the sound judgment of Vendetta's ridder was too good for the rest

of the field. Time, Smin. 312800. THE REAPER CUP-(presented): value \$150 entrance \$10; for subscription griffins of this or previous meetings; weights as per scale; winners 7 lbs. extra. One mile and a quarter. r. Boco's Yarrum (Mr. Hutchings) Dr. t-ardener's Fritz......(Mr. Drammond) Mr. Bruce's Cheng Li Ma. (Mr. Moorhead) Yarrum was favourite. This was the best race of the day, the favourite only winning by a short attempt to seize the ball by the horns and place H. & C. Bakery

SECOND DAY, 21st December. The Silver Cup; value \$100; entrance & for subscription griffins; weights as per scale winners 5 lbs. extra for each race won. O:

Dr. Gardener's Fritz (Mr. Drummond) Mr. Morsy's Leo (Mr. Moorhead) Mr. Bruce's Cheng Li Ma (Mr. Oswald) This was a close and hard ridden race. Fritz of Parliament. only winning by a length. Lime, 2min. Issec. The TOTALISATOR CUP; value \$150; entrance 810; for all China ponies; weights as per scale"; winners 7 lbs. extra. Three quarters

Mr. Braham's Vendetta..... (Mr. Moorhead) Mr. Falk's Witchcraft (Mr. Hutchings) Mr. Camera's Aimansor (Mr. Oswald) An easy win for Vendetts, though the To talisator showed Witchcraft first favourite. Time, 1min. 39sec. The HAREWAN CUP: (presented); value Tla

entrance \$5; for subscription griffing of this or previous mootings; weights as per scale. Winners at this meeting 10 lbs. extra. Mr. Griffin's Yerram (Mr. liutchings) Dr. Gandener's Blits (Mr. Drammond) Mr. Amoy's Gamecock (Mr. Heath)

Yarrum, took the lead soon after the star and won by about a length; a poor third Time, 1min, 224seo. The HACK STAKES; of \$10 each with \$10 not otherwise entered at this meeting except for the Cosmopolitan Cup; weights 7 lbs. over weight for inches; riders who have never won

a race allowed 10 lbs. . Half-a-mile. Mr. Moray's Tipster (Mr. Moorhead)
Nr. Woe's Highlands (Mr. Hu'chings) Dr. Gardener's White Satin ... (Mr. Heath) This was a very close race, Tipster only winning by a short head; good third. Time, 66sec. The HACING STAKES; forced of \$10 each; for subscription griffing; \$100 to the first pony \$30 to the second, and \$20 to the third weights as per scale; winners o one race

lbs. extra, of 2 or more 10 lbs. extra; twice Dr. Gardener's Fritz (Mr. Drammond) Mr. Braham's Uplands (bir. liutchings) An easy win for Frits, Uplands being two. three lengths behind at the finish. Time; 2min. 541si.

The Ferichow STARES, of \$10 each; a forced entry for all China ponies entered at this meeting except those entered only for the Hacks or Cosmopolitan Cup and optional Subscription Griffine; divided 70, 20 and per cent. to first, second and third ponies, weights as perscale. One mile-and-a-quarter. Mr. Braham's Vendetta (r. Moorhead) Mr. Boco's Buster..... (Mr. Coutts) Mr. Falk's Witchcraft (Mr. Hutchings) This was a good race, Vendetta winning by little mere than a length. Time, "min. 55 sec. The CLUB CUP; value \$100 entrance \$5; for all subscription griffins of this or previous meetings; winners of one race at this or previ us meetings 7 lbs. extra, of two or more!

lbs. extra; weights as per scale. Three quarters of a mile. Mr. Boco's Yarrum (Mr. Hutchings) Mr. Braham's Lansdown (Mr. ('ontts) Dr. Gardener's Blitt (Mr. Drummond) A hard run for first place, Yarrum winning by less than a length; a good third. Time

lmin, 39sec. The COMPRADORE'S CUP; open to all Chine ponies; weights per scale: winners of one race 7lbs. extra, of two or more 10lbs. extra; bond fide beaten griffins allowed 10lbs.; entrance provious entries hold good. One mile. Mr. Griffin's Wayfoong [Mr. Coutts) Mr. Amoy's Gamecock (Mr. Houth) Mr. H. H. Bruce's Cheng Li Ma (Mr. Oswald) Tipster was favourite, but did not get a place, Way foong winning a hard ridden race, by about a length from Camecock; good third. Time,

THIRD DAY, 23rd December. The TEAMER'S CUP (presented): value \$... entrance forced \$5; for Subscription Griffins weights as per scale; winners 51bs. extra for each race won. One-mile-and-a-half. mr. Braham's Uplands (Mr. Hutchings) Mr. Bruce's Cheng Li Ma ... Mr. Moorhead) Dr. Gardener's Blits (Mr. Drummond) A wood race, Uplands winning by about a length ; poor third. Time, 3min. 29sec. The LEDGER CUP (presented); value \$100; secoud pony to receive \$25; entrance \$5; for ull China ponies; weights as per scale; winners 10lbs. extra. Once round.

Mr. Esber's Wild Wood .. (Mr. Moorhead) Mr. Falk's Witchcraft Mr. Rutchings) Mr. Camera's Almansor (Mr. Oswald) Witchersft was favourite, but Wild Wood proved too much for him and won bleverly by-s good length. Time, lmin. 22 sec. The Langes Purse (presented); entrance 35

for all subscription griffins of this or previous labouring heavily, and shipping water fore and meetings; weights as per scale; winners at aft. Passed Turnabout Island Light on the 27th this or previous meetings 71bs, extra; riders who have never won a race allowed 71bs. One

Dr. Gardener's Fritz (Mr. Drummond) Mr. Amoy's Gamecock (Mr. Heath) Mr. Braham's Lansdown ... (Mr. Moorhead) An easy win for Erits; good race for second place - Time Imin 22seo.

The SILVER CHALLENGE CUP; entrance \$10; reports from Foochow to Amoy, experienced mo-

Unlands won harids down, being a good three stween the second and third ponies. Time

The CONSOLATION CUP : value \$100 : second pony to receive \$25; entrance 35; for all bond fide beaten ponies that have not won a race a this meeting; weights as per scale; one mile. Mr. Bralam's Lansdown(Mr. Coutts) Mr. Bruca's Chong Li Ma (Mr. Hutchings) Mr. Camera's Blackberry (Mr. Oswald) An easy win for Lansdown, Time, 2min.

The NIL DESPERANDUM STARES TOO \$10 each with \$50 added; divided 60, 25, and 15. per cent to first, second, and third ponies; for bond fide beaten andscription griffins; weights as por scale. Half a mile. Mr. Ten Broock's Wild Wind .. (Mr. Coutts)

Gamecook was favourite, but Wild Wind won bands down. Time, 644 sec. The CRAMPION STAKES; of \$10 each with \$50 added; optional entry for the winners of the Hack, Consolation and Subscription Griffins races, a forced entry for all other winners at this meeting; winners of 2 races at

this meeting \$15 axtra, of more than 2 races \$40 extra; weight as per scale. One mile and a r. Boco's Yarrum (Blr. Hutchings) Dr. Gardener's Fritz (Mr. Drummond) 2

Mr. Braham's Vendetta (Mr. Meorhead) 3 Yarrarum favourite. This was a splendid race. Yarrum got the best of the start, and won by a short head from Fritz. Time, 2.50 sec. The Cosmopolitan Cup; (presented); value entrance 85; for all China ponies; On catch weights over list, 71bs ; backs and subscription griffing of this or previous meetings allowed 71b.; to be ridden by residents of this province and Officers of the Army and Navy. Three quarters of a mile.

Mr. Falk's Witchcraft (Mr. Oswald) Mr. Moray's Tipster Mr. Moorbead) Dr. Gardener's White Satin ... (Mr. Maligin) 3 An easy win for Witchcraft. Time Imin. 39:00. - Echo. -

LATE TELEGRAMS

The following 'telegr ms are taken from

POLITICS IN ENGLAND. LONDON 27th November. The Nottingham conference of the Conservative party, from which the most important Banksresults were expected by the Tory press, seems to have been more successful as the creator of dissension within the party ranks than in any other particular. From the point of view of those journals which have devoted columns of space to Chinese Loan '84 B. suggestions and recommendations upon which Chinese Loan 64 action should be taken, and declarations made, the conference has been full of disappointments. while new dissatisfaction has been aroused at many of the things that were done and said. This is especially true of the federation resolution, which is generally characterised as a blind H. Brick & Cement. obstocles, deemed insurmountable, in the way of Hongkong & C. Gas. the colonies in the efforts of the latter to further H. Dairy Farm their own schemes, and Salisbury's social pro- H. Electric Light ... gramme also comes in for a generous share of H. H. L. Tranways. adverse criticism, though his scheme is no doubt Hongkong Ica...... directly the result of the persistent nagging of H. & K. Wharf & G. the Tory newspapers. With this scheme con. H. Steam Laundry... fronting the Tories and the Liberals tenderly Hongkong Rope juggling with the eight hour plank, both parties

will be heavily handicapped in the next session THE GERMANS AND BRASIL. LONDON, 23rd November. A despatch to the Chronisle from Berlin say that the hope is generally expressed there that in the event of the Brazilian states becoming split up the 200,000 Germans in southern Brazil will ask Germany for protection. The despatch further states that it is not improbable that attempts will be made, with the assistance of the colonial party in Germany, to secure the partial if not complete, independence of the German cettlers in Brazil, whether the states disintegrate or not.

THE QUEEN'S RELLEG. NEW YORK, 26th November. Mr. Edmund Yates' London cable to the Tribune says :- The Queen had a beautiful day for leaving Balmoral, and the drive to Ballater in an open carriage must have made her regret she had to come south. he looked very well; both there and at Aberdeen and Perth, where as usual the public were excluded, and the usual band of devoted adherents, such as the Duke of added for each starter; for all China ponies Athol, Mrs. Drammond, etc., being absent. She was somewhat lame, both at Perih and at Windsor, where she arrived on Thursday, and walked with a stick, but looked wonderfully well and none the worse for the long journey, and Lord Salisbury and the Prince of Wales expressed after their return from Windsor their

wonder at seeing how vigorous and well she was after the journey. THE GERMAN EMPEROR'S VISIT TO TURKEY. The visit of the German Emperor and Empress to Constantinople has cost the Sultan from first to last at least £150,000 ... All the preparations for the Imperial guests were on a truly Oriental scale of splendour, being characterised by the most lavish extravagance in every depart. ment. The Emperor William is much blamed for having sllowed the Empress to scoopt the diamonds from the Sultan, which are known to have cost upwards of £20,000. The total value of the half shipload of superb presents which were carried to Berlin is estimated to be nearly. 260,000. The Sultan showed the greatest complacency toward his guests, but the Emperor. left Constantinople firmly convinced that Abdul Hamid's morbid dread of assassination rendered

him practically insans. A FOLL TAX ON FOREIGNERS IN TEANUS. LONDON, 28th Nevember. The bill now before the French Chamber of Deputies regulating taxation contains a clause which has aroused a great weste of popular excitement, though it has more partisans than onpopents from its obvious character as an anti-German measure and anti-Italian as well. This clause proposes the imposition of a poll and military tax upon every foreigner residing in France. and at though this were not enough to render France an undesirable residence for foreigners, it goes to the length of minimising the opportrinities for obtaining employment by imposing a tax upon every employer for each foreign omployee in his service residing in France. Though many French employers have already refused to BEATIEN. hire foreign labour, there are still a great many others who for one reason or another prefer them to Frenchmen, and these together with the

foreign element whose exclusion is sought constitute the opposition to the measure. THE SUGAL INDUSTRY IN FRANCE. Paris. 26th November. A syndicate of sugar manufacturers recently petitioned the Government for authority to correspond direct with the French Consuls abroad to obtain information of interest to the sugar industry. The Government is disposed to favour the request.

BOUMANIA'S FOREIGN RELATIONS. BUCHABEST, 27th November, The Roumanian Regisment was formally opened by King Charles in person to-day. In Security his speech the King affirmed the good relations amoy

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

(Continued from 1st page:) REPORTS.

The German steemer Kiel, from Singapore 19th December, reports had fresh N.E. winds with high swell to Macclesfield Bank; from thence to port strong N.E. winds with very high g sea and violent rain squalls.

The British steamer Propontis; from Kutchinotes 24th December, reports whilst crossing the Eastern See had strong N.W. winds, dull and cloudy weather, with heavy beam see, ship December at 4,40 a.m. Throughout the Formoss Channel had strong to moderate monsoon with high following sea and fine weather. From Breaker Point to arrival, light monsoon and

smooth see with fine cloudy weather. The British steamer: Namoa, from Foschow 25th December, Amoy 26th, and Swatow 28th, for all subscriptions griffing at this or pre-derects N.E. winds and fine weather. From vious meetings; to be won twice by a pony Amoy to Swatow, strong N.E. winds with high the bond fide property of same owner or following sea. From Swatow to part light variowners; the entrance fees to go to the Club able winds with fine weather. In Foochow stre. and \$100 to be paid to winner, except in the Glenogle and Chintung, and one Russian war case of the cup being finally won, and \$20 to rease. In Amoy were Fullyon and Thoman, and nesons peny i waights as per soals. One mile our German gunboat. In Amstow stro. Mai.

The Japanese steamer Fushiki Mare, from Kutshinotsu 23rd December, reports had fine 8 weather from port to Turnsbout; fresh N.E. FT RANBATLANTIOFIREINSURANCE winds down the coast. Passed Company str. Mile Maru off Single laland.

The Italian ateamer Bormida, from Bombay 7th December, and Singapore 20th, reports from Singapore to Palwan Island had modern's N.E. Rates. wind and calm sea; passing slong the coast of Palwan and Luson had strong monscon; from Cape Borndor (Luson) to Prates I land, strong gale from N.E. and rough sea; and from Pratu to Hongkong, very fine weather and fresh wind.

SATURDAY, 28th December. Quotations are:-[3] to 5 outiles THE 3 to 35 cattles. 21 to 34 catties

OMMERCIAL INTELLIGING.

Patna (Old)..... Benares (New) \$515 EXCHANGE. N LONDON .-Bank Bills, at 30 days sight3/12 Bank Bills, at 4 months sight3/21 Credits, at 4 months right323 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' PARIE. Credits, at 4 months' aight 4.06 NEW YORKS-ON BOMBAY.-

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SOVEREIGNS SHARES. Company. Paid up. Quotations.

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Hongkong & S'hai \$125 | 197, buyers China Borneo \$500 Sp. ct. prem., mm 5p. ct. prem., nom. 4. 250 | 12 p. ct. prem .. pop. Cruickshank & Co. Darvel Bay Trading sa par Fenwick & Co., Geos. \$25 | \$30, nom, \$20 420, nom. Green Island Cament \$25 323 \$12.50 \$25 \$60 \$85 \$10 | \$14, nom. \$50 8220 \$25 | \$103 \$50 \$100, males \$50 nom. \$50 \$100, nom: \$125 60 p. ct. pm. Austin Arms

H. & W. Dock 5 p. ct. dis., sellers Hongkong Hotel... Do. Debentures. \$500 \$501 nsurances— Canton \$50 .\$130 China Fire China Traders' Chinese Inturance. \$200 \$150, nom. \$385

Hongkong Fire \$20 \$16 Singapore.... Straits Fire Straits Marine.... \$20 \$281 Union Yangtaza Land & Building-H. Land Investm 250 \$105, buyers Richmond Terrace. F100 | \$200 -Shanghai Land Tis. 30 | Tis. 374 West Point Buildg. Luson Sugar

Charbonnages...... \$181.58 | \$450 Jelebu Porak Sugar East Borneo \$10 \$13, nom. S'hai & H. Wharf Le. 100 Tis. 2174 hanghai Water. Steamship Coys.— China-& Manila? \$60 \$100 ----China Shippers : £18 £13.10s. H., Canton, & M., \$20 | \$41 210 15 p. ct. dis., buyers Indo-China

Watson & Co., A. S. \$10 | 122 HOMGRONG TEMPERATURE.

Steam Launch

(From Masser, Takopas & Co.'s Excuses;) December 28th. Theymometer -9 1. E Special property in the property of the control of the In a resonanter--- 1 7. Mostante de la companya de Lhow omster - 4 P.M. more on the business of the party of the land Thes mometer - \$ 4.14. (Wes pulls) and the property of the second Thermometer-1 2.2. (Wet bulb) water water 18. Thermometer-47.N. (Wet bulb) Thermometer-Maximum density to management 64

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

27th December, 1869, at 4 F.M.

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*W DORERCK. Hongkong Observatory 28th December, 1889

METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. Provious On date On date day. at | (18.m. at 4 ; m. Satometer and mail Direction of wind ... Force of wind-

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W. DODEROK.

INSUKANUES. COMPANY OF HAMBURG. The Undersigned, having been appointed gents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current

SIEMSSEN & Co... Hongkong, 18th November, 1872. GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY IN LONDON

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are pre pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates. REUTER BROCKELMANN & Co. Hongkong, 1st July, 1869. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED, ESTABLISHED 1870. HEAD OFFICE. -- Hongkong. CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS. PAID-UP CAPITAL \$ 400,000 RESERVE FUND CLAIMS PAID HONUSES PAID

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Hongkong, 12th March, 1989. TOMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. INVESTED FUNDS upwards of ... 22.000,000

ANNUAL NET INCOME £1,200,000 The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents of the above Company, are prepared to issue POLICIES OF INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates. -S OLTERFOHT & HIRST.

PANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-HONGRONG. CAPITAL (Susquiser); \$1,000.000.

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS, LUM SIN SANG. Esq. YOW CHONG PENG, Esq. BAN HUP, Esq. CHAN LI CHOY Esq. Q. HOI CHUNE, Esq. The Company GRANTS POLICIES

MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World. payable at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are payable to Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not.

WOO'LIN' YUEN.

HEAD OFFICE. No. 2. Queen's Road West. Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARIN INSURANCE COMPANY.

LIMITED. The Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Com. any are prepared to ACCEPT MARINE RISKS at Current GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 6th November, 1889.

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS, against FIRE at Current Rates. REUTER, BRÖCKELMANN & Co.,

Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. THE NOR! H GERMAN, FIRE INSUR-ANOR COMPANY OF HAMBURG. THE Undersigned having been appointed

prepared to GRANT IN HRANGES to the subject to rent. DUNN, MELBER & Ca. Hongkong, 16th February, 1889. NOTICE.

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INSUBANCE COMPANY. prepared to accept RISKS against FIRE at Russell & Co.

Hongkong, 2nd May, 1889. HENIX FIRE OFFIC The Undersigned are now prepared GRANT POLICIES OF INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agents for the Phonix Fire Office. Hongkong, 17th August, 1887. COTCH WHISK Really the best is CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s Because it is old and mature and rich.

Because it is quite free from fusel oil. Because Physicians approve it as A L. It is shipped in Round, Square, and Heart Shaped Bottles. Our Agents have Stocks of either Please apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

or to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 21st January, 1889. JUST ARRIVED AND FOR SALE. CUPERIOR ENGLISH DOUBLE BAR-REL BREECH LOADING GUNS-12 Bore, Central Fire, Top Lever-in Box, with everything Complete, Price, \$45 only.

GEM AIR GUNS in Boxes, Complete with Mechanical Targets. J. F. SCHEFFER. 77. Wyndham Street. Hone kong. 20th November, 1889.

FOR SALE. TIHAS. HEIDSTECK'S CHAMPAGNE, 1880 WRITE SEAL. PAUL DUHOIS & t.o.s CLARET, GRAND VIN LECVILLE. \$25..... per case of 1 dosen quarte, LARET, CHATEAU LAROSE \$18..... per case of I dozen quarts. \$14..... per case of 2 dozen pints. PONTET CANET.

\$9.50..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. PALMER MARGAUX. \$7.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts. \$8.50 per case of 2 dozen pints. LORMONT. JOHN WALKER & SONS OLD HIGHLAND WHISKEY. \$8 per case of I dosen bottles. ALBO. CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s

WINES AND SPIRITS SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, lat January, 1884 BEKANNTMACHUNG. DIE EINTRAGUNGEN in des Handels, Register sowie anderweitige Bekannema-

chunged des KAtsERLICHER KONSULATESworden im Jahre 1890 durch die Zeitung The Hongkong Daily Press veröffentlicht Canton, den 21. December, 1889. DER KAISERLICH DEUTSCHE KONEUL A.I

COOK WANTED, LAOR the SINGAPORE CLUB, the services | the 24th inst. of a First-class European Cook. To a Goods undelivered after the Slat inst. suitable and thoroughly competent person will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods liberal encouragement will be given. must be left in the Godowne, where they will be-Apply by letter-stating ability, past or epainted at 11 A.M. on the 28th inst perisace and age, also galary, expected, to Vin H. SMITH.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNETS UNION LINE.

FROM RAMBURG MIDDLESBRO. LONDON, AND SINGAPORE. FITHE Steamship

"EUPHRATES," Captain Edwards, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignessof Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. The Steamer is berthed at K wloon Pier, argo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 31st instant, or they will not be recognized. RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 24th December, 1889. FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG, BA. TAVIA, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

having arrived from the above ports, Consigner 40: 000 of cargo by her are horeby informed that their RISKS accepted at CURLENT RATES OF Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kewloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 31st instant will be subject to rent No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the £2,500,000 7th January, 1890, otherwise: they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 27th December, 1889.

NORDDEUTSCHER LEGYD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "BAYERN." FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF

THE above named steamer having arrived Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

may be obtained. Optional cargo will be landed here in Hongkoig unless notice to the contrary be given before 2 P.M., TO-DAY, the 26th inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 2nd January, 1890, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Thursday, the 2nd January, 1890, at 4 P.M. Il Claims must reach us before the 3rd Jan., or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 26th December, 1889. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES S.S. "MERIONETHSHIRE," FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON-DON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

TONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowlson. whence and/or from the wharves delivery may Option cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. TO-DAY.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remain-AGERTS for the above Company, are ing undelivered after the 30th instant will be All claims against the steamer must be presouted to the undersigned on or before the 50th. instant, or they will not be recognized No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1889. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPURE. THE Steamship

Captain P. Moller, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to As Agents of the above Company we are take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Option Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before 2 P.M. 1902 TO-DAY. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be banded into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 30th inst. will be subject

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 30th inst. No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMBSEN & Co.. Agenta.

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Hongkong, 24th December, 1889.

FROM LONDON, ANTWERP, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

"BENALDER." Captain Thomson, having arrived from above ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersigns. ture by the undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside. The steamer is berthed at the Kowloon Piers and any Cargo impeding her discharge will there be landed into Godowns and stored at Concinness' risk and expense. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining

after the 1st proz, will be subject to rent All claims must reach us before 4 r.m. of the 4th prox., or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, 26th December, 1889.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. / THE Steamship "JAPAN."

having arrived from the above Ports, Con-

signess of cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Hongkong and Kowloon. What and Godown Compay's Godowns at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 31st inst. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are heroby informed, that al 125 claims must be made immediately, as mone will be entertained after the 29th instant Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 26th December, 1889. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CONSIGNEES por Company's Steamer "TELAMON" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will

lie at Consigness risk. The Cargo will be ready tives of for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after BUTTERFIELD'& SWIRE,

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO EX 0. 8. 8. (0.'8 8. 8. "TELAMON,"

FROM LIVERPOOL for shipment per steamer "D[')M. D:". BUTTERFIELD& WIRE,

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING about the 8rd January. CORPORATION. TOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Bank Share Certificates, vis No. B. 2071=3165/66, 4645/52)

21341/55, 14389,92 } ...50 Shares 51692/712. in the name of L. MENDEL. B. 2090=3280/3289 B. 2134=53909/23, 57342/46, } 25 in the name of W.D. SPENCE,

Hongkong, 24th December, 1889.

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THE PRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer Caledonien, with the next 12635 French mail, left Singapore at 6 a.m. on the 26th December: and may be expected here on or

> THE CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. steamer Abuseinia, with Canadian mails. left Vancouver on the 14th December, and is due here on or about the 10th January.

> STFAMERS EXPECTED. The Chine Mutual steamer Confa left Singapore on the morning of the 2"th December, and

Is due here on or about the let Jenuary. The P. & O. Extra atenmer Teheran left Sincepore at 8 p.m. on the 26th December, and is due here on the morning of the 2nd January The D. D. R. steamer Frigge left Singspore at 4 p.m. on the 6th December, and is doe here on or about the 2nd January.

The Austro-Hungarian steamer Melpomens floates B 2071, B 2099, B 2134, and B 2269 will left Singapore on the morning of the 29th December, and is due here on or about the 5th.

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Peak delivery. Letter boxes have been placed in the tram cars and correspondence will be delivered by the twelve and four o'clock cars only, Local rates will be charged. Correspondence addressed to the Peak may be posted in-TNTIL the NEW PREMISES are ready the General Post Office up to 11:30 a m and .30 the above named institution will be p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the cars till time carried on at Nos. 2. 4. and 6. High Street, of departure. Correspondence from the Peak, may be posted in the Letter Boxes up to twelve and four o'c'ock. Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only up to 11:30 am and 3.30 p.m. There will be no Sunday delivery. overs containing bank notes, jawellery, So, should not be posted. To avoid robbery senders of letters are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word 'stamped' scross them.

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For Swatow, Amoy, and Foodhow, -Per Namoa, to day, the 30th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Straits and Calentta - Per Japan, tomorrow, the Sist i ab., at 11.30 A.M. For Nurseki, Kobe, and Yokobara. Per Ancong, on hursday, the 2nd Jan., at 5.00 pear. For Straits, Colombo, and Bomhay. Per Nizem, on Friday, the rd January, at 11.30 A.M. For Nagusaki, Kobs, Yokehama, and Vanconver. BC .- Per Batavia, on Thursday, the

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Ganges will be despatched on WE NESDAY; the 1st Jar nary, with Mails for the United Kingdom. Surope, and countries beyond, wie Brindis; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India. Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta; and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, Sc. The Post Office declines all responsibility for

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